

BITTER ATTACK ON CATHOLICS

GUARDIANS OF LIBERTY COME OUT STRONGLY AGAINST THE CHURCH IN AMERICA—CONGRESSMAN HAINES STARTS DISORDER.

SEN. H. C. KING, BULL MOOSE LEADER, IS DISTURBED AT THE TURN, AND SAYS HE HAS RESIGNED.

New York, Sept. 11.—There is no longer any doubt as to the attitude of the organization known as the Guardians of Liberty in so far as the Roman Catholic Church is concerned. At the usual noonday prayer meeting in the John Street church yesterday ex-Congressman Charles D. Haines, the Chief Guardian of the organization, spoke and caused a stir in the famous old church by making a bitter attack on the Catholic church. He charged that Chief Justice Edward Douglass White of the United States Supreme Court owed his elevation to the fact that he was a Catholic; that the Naval Academy at Annapolis "reeked with Catholicism"; that Major General H. B. Barry, S. A. in command of Governors Island, was another who was favored because he was a Catholic; and that the time was at hand when every non-Catholic should combat the activities of those whose religion was Catholic.

Near the end of his address Haines was interrupted by an elderly man who sat well in front. He said his name was Applegate, and that he was in the publishing business. He is one of the regular attendants of the John Street Church prayer service.

"We have had enough of this sort of talk," shouted Mr. Applegate, "and it is time for it to stop. Who is this man?"

Before he could finish cries came from all over the church for Mr. Applegate to keep quiet, but he insisted on having his say.

"What does he mean by this talk of war and blood between those who are of different religions?" shouted Mr. Applegate, and once more his voice was drowned in a chorus of protest from the audience.

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STATE BRIEFS.

Westport—James Kelly, 46, was struck and killed by an express train on the New Haven road here, late yesterday.

New Haven—A horse owned by Max Spelman ran away, last night, striking a trolley car, knocking it off the tracks and killing the driver.

Bristol—Fifty-five men, whose combined ages were 1,000 years, were barbecued here, yesterday. Adelson and Allison Bunnell, 84 years old twins, were the center of interest.

Thompsonville—Announcement is made of the wedding of Mrs. Eleanor Boyd, 46, of Hartford, to Mr. R. H. Grease, 75, of a Covin, 75, a millionaire manufacturer, three times a widower of this place.

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WANT ADS. CENT A WORD.

M'LEAN'S BRILLIANT SPEECH AT CONVENTION

Former Governor's Eloquence Thrills the Delegates as He Pleads For the Regular Ticket

Makes Special Pleading For Republican National Convention's Procedure — Refutes Roosevelt's Claims and Bares the Attitude of the Third Term as it Was Represented to Intermediaries at the Time of the Chicago Disturbance

Ex-Gov. and Senator George B. McLean delivered an address of nearly an hour and a half in duration to the Republican state convention assembled at Hartford last night. It was a brilliant argumentative discourse and a piece of special pleading in behalf of the regular Republican party and its candidates for President William Howard Taft, Senator McLean's address was frequently punctuated with applause. He spoke in part as follows:

"Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen of the convention, I am greatly pleased at this cordial greeting because it indicates a degree of harmony in the Republican party in Connecticut which has always existed. When all the representatives of the party in Connecticut in convention assembled here, they will heartily welcome it is a pretty strong indication that the men who have recently separated themselves from the party will be welcome upon their return."

"But first of all, your enthusiasm indicates that you have a love for affection or loyalty for your party which, I think, has done more to promote the material, moral and political advancement of mankind than any other political organization in history."

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doubt the result at Chicago and no man today would be in doubt as to the result in November. Here Col. Roosevelt had a chance to save his party and I think himself."

At this point Senator McLean entered into a lengthy discussion of the various forces which have united under Mr. Roosevelt in opposition to Mr. Taft.

Speaking of the present Roosevelt program, Senator McLean said: "Let us now look at the covenant which the Colonel has entered into with his people. It contains some mighty good things that are in the Republican platform; it contains, according to his statements, the plank in the Democratic platform that are fit for anything but the floor of a lunatic asylum. It also contains a number of things which are not in the platform, but it contains everything else that you want, but it contains nothing that is not in the platform."

"I cannot, of course, detail it in detail, tonight, but I must call your attention to the five things which will elect him if he is elected—the initiative, the referendum, the recall, the minimum wage and the promise to that labor has a share in the tools."

Speaking of the initiative and referendum, Senator McLean said in part: "Upon abstract questions, referendum is not new nor is it especially objectionable, but it brought to bear upon concrete questions it is an insidious device to shirk both duty and responsibility. The initiative has a similar effect, but to a much greater degree."

"The initiative destroys representative government and leads us directly backward to the governmental varieties that are unound in principle and have always failed with respect to the people."

At this point Senator McLean went into an extended discussion of Roosevelt's inconsistent attitude toward the party, his initiative and referendum, and his attitude toward the party.

And now we come to the plank that our progressive friends have adopted—I do not like the word 'stole' from Mr. Debe—the minimum wage and a share in the tools."

Now I would ask the man whose intelligence is ten per cent of normal whether he would prefer to get what his services are really worth or what the government thinks they are worth. Does he think his prosperity and that of his country will thrive on the trough that the government is now feeding him? Will human nature be changed? When the government fixes the minimum wage, it fixes the minimum for every incentive to make it his maximum wage? Congress, being progressive, in order to be re-elected, will raise the minimum wage and the next Congress in order to perpetuate its own power will again raise the minimum wage. The result is a vicious circle. The employer goes into insolvency and the next step is for the government to condemn the plant and own it itself. Then everybody is working for the government, everybody has an interest in the tools he works with and the government is a success. The employer goes into insolvency and the next step is for the government to condemn the plant and own it itself. Then everybody is working for the government, everybody has an interest in the tools he works with and the government is a success.

Continuing, Senator McLean said: "When the committee on credentials started in to review the work of the national committee, it consisted of a million or two officials nominated by the direct poll of the people and elected by his friend the laborer—the man who does the work. The public officials, after a careful investigation, will see to it that they are re-elected and this will necessitate a raise in the governmental wage. It must be apparent that the mechanic will want a high wage and this will necessitate a high price for his product. The consumer will want low prices for what he must buy, the official will charge a high price for his office in favor of the combination that has the most votes. The politicians will seek for a combination strong enough to continue them in office. This course means that a minority of the people of the country are to be sold for the benefit of the majority."

Senator McLean here reviewed in an eloquent manner 52 years of public service to the country and he compared the records of the Republican and Democratic parties during that time. He also compared the prosperity of this country under high tariff protection with that of England under a tariff for revenue. In conclusion, after roundly attacking the third term ambitions of Theodore Roosevelt, he said:

"Let every honest elector ask himself this question, If President Taft had played politics instead of doing his duty would he not have been nominated without opposition? Let the answer come from the conscience and President Taft will have more votes in 1912 than he had in 1908."

Simon Lake and crew of submarine seal return in high glee.

The Seal G1, submarine boat, which received its finishing touches at the Lake shipyards in this city, made a most creditable showing in the series of government tests to which it was put during the past week and sailed into the local harbor last night about 8 o'clock with a happy and rejoicing crew.

The boat, which had just completed a 2 hour endurance test, was with the boat when it came into the local harbor and was one of the most pleased men abroad.

The Seal was built at Newport News but finished in Bridgeport. Another boat of similar type was recently completed at Newport News and is on the ways in the local yard. This is called the Tuna, 23. When near Atlantic City while on its way to Bridgeport, she went aground but was soon put afloat. The government tests are regarded as having been highly satisfactory and it is expected that the boat will be accepted by the navy department.

As the fall election approaches talk of a democratic candidate and a full city ticket by the Bull Moose party becomes more pronounced. There seems to be a growing sentiment in favor of a complete ticket at the fall election. What the agitation will amount to is merely a matter of speculation at this time. The Bull Moose party are surely an enthusiastic and ambitious crowd.

Farmer Want Ads. Cent a Word.

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THE FARMER VOTE.

In rural towns of our commonwealth, in this year as we shall see, a grand old fight will be carried on. By the friends of the G. O. P.

The party machine will be overhauled. And its wheels will be well greased. They will train the ones who will run the party.

They will make their appeal to the citizen. And say "Vote for our good man." They will handle the man with the vote. On the same old shady plan.

They will "point with pride" to a record. You will have hard work to see. They will promise a good prosperity. "If you'll only vote for me."

The G. O. P. for long has fed the farmer with a good wealth. The trusts have grown and prospered. And enjoy the best of health.

The same old views, in the same old way. Will be aired in the country store. The Elephant and the Donkey. Will fight it out as of yore.

But not as of yore, in the country store. Will "blind leaders lead the blind." For while the Donkey fights in front, The Bull Moose fights behind.

The Bull Moose tries to "progress" ahead. The Donkey kicks behind. The Elephant stamps the ground enraged. That his plans are undermined.

Oh, politics is a funny game. And it's played in a funny way. But it's safe to say that President Taft. Like a dog, has "had his day."

For the farmer folks, of the simple life. Our sturdy sons of the soil. Have at last passed through the G.O.P. And their blood has begun to boil.

Their heated blood will surely rise. And reach their heads at last. In the rural towns, on election day. The old Elephant will "get cast."

It is safe to say that Theodore. Will lead the Bull Moose away. While the Donkey will find in Washington a chance for a four year's stay.

EUGENE L. RICHARDS.

WM. R. HURLEY & CO. TO REMOVE TO 1154 MAIN ST.

Elbert Hubbard says: "Failures are made up of can'ts, success of cans." The man who starts out to "do things" eliminates the word "can't" from his vocabulary. Determination is the hinge upon which the door of opportunity swings open. A man's will power overcomes all obstacles. The fundamental basis of William R. Hurley's success in the clothing business was his determination to succeed by giving the men of Bridgeport something worth while in clothing values, opportunities to save money worth seizing.

Nourishment forces growth in nature. Same in business. A merchant can't continue to give exceptional values long without the public knowing about it. Quality merchandise backed up with good advertising finds ready sales. Business grows. Friends accumulate. A firm name becomes a household word. The clothing business develops into a prosperous business. Larger homes become imperatively necessary. The history of William R. Hurley & Company is a nutshell.

Mr. Hurley has been in the clothing business in this city for the past 22 years. He knows what men want. He knows quality as the student should know his lesson. The man who can't fool him, cover over defects in make with soft words. When a suit comes into the Hurley store it is having been "right." The same policy of carefulness to little details, exactness in style selection, demand for the very best quality of workmanship, will follow the Hurley store to 1154 Main street, when they move to the new quarters. Prices that will convince the rational man of the extraordinary value of the fine line of clothing will be maintained at their original low complete ticket.

The same old patrons will follow. Many new ones will find the place because of its more convenient location. The infant business will take stronger nourishment, grow strong, develop into a thriving enterprise—bound to because there's something back of it.

SENATOR HEYBURN IS SERIOUSLY ILL

Washington, Sept. 11.—Senator William B. Heyburn of Idaho is seriously ill in his apartment here. His ailment has been diagnosed as angina pectoris. A few weeks before the adjournment of the last session of Congress colleagues of Senator Heyburn were advised that his health was bad and the nature of his ailment was made known to them. Twice the Senator was forced to give up his work in the Senate and go away to recuperate.



GREAT ABUNDANCE OF DEMOCRATIC ORATORS

Speakers' Bureau Opens Headquarters For State In Hotel Taft.

New Haven, Conn. Sept. 11.—According to Homer S. Cummings, Chief of the Speakers' Bureau of the Democratic National Committee, Democratic orators are increasing at a wonderful rate. More spellbinders have volunteered their services in the aid of Wilson and Marshall than have ever taken part in a presidential campaign within the memory of Mr. Cummings, and each day's mail brings in more names.

The speakers' Bureau of the Democratic State Central Committee yesterday opened headquarters at the Hotel Taft, New Haven. Letters have been sent out to all town chairmen urging that rallies be held in every town in the state.

A request is also made for volunteer speakers from the state.

EXPLOSION FOLLOWS ATTEMPT AT SUICIDE

New York, Sept. 11.—Philip Grech, 22, a carpenter, tried to kill himself by gas at 117 Monroe street, today. He is unhurt but seven others who were in the room were injured, some suffering from burns because Solomon Goldberg, who said he was a plumber, told Policeman Kolsin he could remove the gas from the room.

Grech had wrenched it from its socket. Goldberg used a match to locate the hole and the explosion that followed caused the casualty list. All of the injured will recover.

Idaho Women to Have Complete State Ticket

Boise, Ida., Sept. 11.—Saying they had become disgusted with the wrangling within the Republican party, the women members of the party in Idaho, today, announced they would put a complete state ticket in the field to oppose the men at the polls, this fall.

Their ticket will be independent of both the progressive and Republican parties. The women will hold their convention here, this week.

19TH C. V. REUNION

Litchfield, Sept. 11.—There was a notable gathering here, today, of the 19th Connecticut Regiment, C. V. known as the second heavy. One hundred veterans gathered to commemorate the 50th anniversary of the regiment's muster in. The morning in renewing the friendships formed half a century ago.

At noon there was a dinner and in the afternoon Governor Baldwin made an address.

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GERMAN CLERGY AROUSSED OVER KAISER'S TALK

Berlin, Sept. 11.—The German clergy boiled with excitement, today, at the Kaiser's quotation of the Bible in his address to the Reichstag, during his recent visit there, although he finds in the Bible "a solution of every difficulty," he does not care much for clergymen or priests or preachers because they dilute the gospel with too much of their own brew.

It is said there will be a chorus of pulpit rejoinders, next Sunday of a character which may invite some of the critics in prosecutions for lese majeste.

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